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"EXPRESS MAIL" MAILING LABEL

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Anticipated Classification of this Application:

Class/Subclass: 345-168000

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Prior Application

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Sir:

This is a request for filing a[n]

- ☐ Original
- ☒ Continuation
- ☐ Divisional
- ☐ Continuation-in-part

application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b), in the name of

Abbas RAFII, Cyrus BAMJI, Nazim KAREEMI and Shiraz SHIVJI

(Names of ALL Applicants)

for METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENTERING DATA USING A VIRTUAL INPUT DEVICE

(Title of Invention)

This ☒ continuation ☐ divisional ☐ continuation-in-part

claims priority to pending application Serial No. 09/502,499, filed on 11 February 2000.

1. ☒ Enclosed is a new application.
☐ Enclosed is a continuation-in-part application.
☐ Enclosed is a copy of the prior application.
2. ☐ Enclosed is a new Declaration.
☒ Enclosed is a copy of the prior Declaration as originally filed.
3. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 CFR 1.27)
4. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(i) (Form PTO/SB/35)
5. ☐ Genetic Sequence Submission: Paper copy, Computer Readable Copy; Statement Verifying Identical Paper and Computer Readable Copy
6. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:
☐ Claims as filed in the prior application, less any claims canceled by amendment below:

	(Col. 1) NO. FILED	(Col. 2) NO. EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
			RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE				\$375		\$750
TOTAL CLAIMS	42 - 20 =	22	× 9 =	\$198	× 18 =	\$
INDEP CLAIMS	2 - 3 =	0	× 42 =	\$ 0	× 84 =	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENTED <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no			+140 =	\$ 0	+280 =	\$
If the difference in Col 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2			TOTAL	\$573	TOTAL	\$

7. ☒ Our check in the amount of \$ 573.00 is enclosed in payment of the above-calculated filing fee.
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the above-calculated filing fee to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Order No. _____).
The filing fee is NOT being submitted with this transmittal letter.
8. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Order No. 469120-00046 [A-68849-1/MAK]).
9. ☐ Cancel in this application original claims _____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
(At least one independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
10. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
--This is a _____ continuation _____ divisional _____ continuation-in-part
of application Serial No. _____ filed _____.
11. ☐ Informal drawings are enclosed.
☒ Formal drawings are enclosed.
12. ☐ Priority of application Serial No. _____ filed on _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.
The certified copy has been filed in prior application Serial No. _____ filed on _____.
13. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to Canesta, Inc.
☒ Enclosed is a copy of the assignment from the prior application
☐ Enclosed is a new assignment
_____ with Recordation Form Cover Sheet (PTO-1595)
_____ with our check in the amount of \$40.00 to pay the recordation fee
14. ☐ The power of attorney in the prior application is to:
Name: Flehr Hohbach Test Albritton & Herbert LLP
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- ☐ The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
☒ Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
☐ A new power has been executed and is enclosed.
☒ Address all future communications to the address associated with Customer Number 32940, currently:

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13. ☐ A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)
14. ☐ I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true duplicate of prior application Serial No. _____ as originally filed on _____.
15. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(i) (Form PTO/SB/35)
16. ☐ Also enclosed is/are: _____

Date: 29 August 2003

Signature: _____

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☒ Filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.34(a)

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